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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Applicant:

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Patrick J. O'Donnell

Application Number:

09/557,234

Filing Date:

April 24, 2000

Title:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR

DISLODGING INSECTS FROM

PLANTS

Examiner Name:

A. Valenti

Group Art Unit:

3643

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

- 1. Submission Required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114:
 - () Previously submitted:
 - () Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on .
 - () Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on .
 - (X) Enclosed:
 - (X) Amendment/Reply
 - (X) Declaration of Patrick O'Donnell, including Exhibits A, B and C.
 - (X) Second Declaration of Patrick O'Donnell in two pages
 - (X) Declaration of Eric J. Anderson in two pages.
 - (X) Declaration of Robert Carrick in two pages.
 - (X) Declaration of Chris Roy in two pages.
 - (X) Declaration of Rod Ritchie in two pages.
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2. Miscellaneous:

- Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed three months).
- 3. Fees:
 - (X) RCE fee (\$385 small entity/\$770 large entity)
 - 0 Fee for suspension (\$130)
 - (X) Extension of Time fee:
 - One Month (\$55/\$110) ()
 - Two Month (\$210/\$420) 0
 - (X) Three Month (\$475/\$950)

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- 4. Payment:
 - (X) Check in the amount of \$860 to cover the above fees.
 - The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and (X) § 1.17 which may be required, now or in the future, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

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